

Docket No. 740123-402

# IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED OFFICE

In re INTERNATIONAL Application of

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International Application No. PCT/EP01/03606

International Filing Date: 29 March 2001

For: DRIVE FOR AN ADJUSTABLE MOTOR VEHICLE PART

### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Preliminary to entry into the U.S. National Phase and national phase examination, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

### IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the specification with the substitute specification appended hereto.

## IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

Please replace the Abstract of the Disclosure with the new Abstract of the Disclosure appended hereto.

#### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the recitation "Claims" to read -- We claim--.

Please cancel claims 1-18 in their entirety without prejudice nor disclaimer to the subject matter contained therein.

Please add new claims 19-35 as follows:

--19. A drive for an adjustable motor vehicle part, comprising: an electric motor;

a worm wheel driven by the electric motor;